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Applicant calls the Examiner's attention to the following co-pending U.S. patent application, which is commonly assigned as the above-referenced patent application:

- 1) Application No. 09/349,732
For: SERVICE INSTALLATION ON A BASE FUNCTION AND PROVISION OF A
PASS FUNCTION WITH A SERVICE-FREE BASE FUNCTION SEMANTIC
Applicant: Galen C. Hunt

In view of the secrecy provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.14, Applicant has not provided a copy of the above-referenced co-pending U.S. patent application because submitting a copy of the patent application could be viewed as a waiver of the confidentiality that the Applicant is guaranteed under 35 U.S.C. § 122 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.14. Applicant has not listed the co-pending application on an accompanying 1449 form and requests that it not be listed on the face of the patent, in the event that it issues, to preserve the secrecy of the co-pending application.

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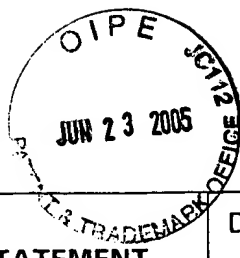
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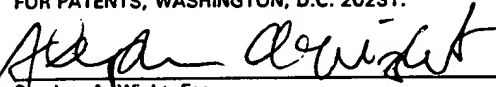
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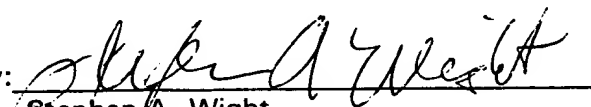
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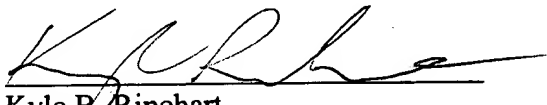
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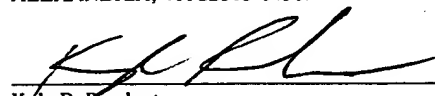
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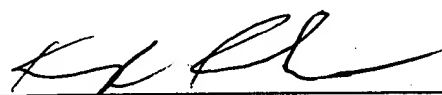
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